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# THE STRATHMORE STANDARD AND BOW VALEY

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## Wishing All Our Readers A VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS

### Xmas at the Stores

#### What to Buy and Where to Buy

For goods appropriate to the holiday season the local stores are offering a very large selection, at prices that cannot be beat elsewhere. With the recent drop in the price of many products the returns to the producers of the district have not been what it has been a pronounced tendency to economy, but the values being given in local stores will enable the shrewd housewife to get appropriate novelties and groceries for the season.

Among some of the local offerings, further details of which will be found in our advertising columns, are:

**Strathmore Hardware** are carrying in their large and well-appointed stores, a lot of suitable gifts suitable for both children and grown-ups, and which at the same time are substantial and useful. They have also a nice line of preservation cutlery and dishes, also razors, straps, etc., and other articles which it would be impossible to enumerate here.

#### Beach and Fox

Department Store have a very fine line of gifts, and in their ladies department offer tempting suggestions in French Ivory Sets, hair brushes, Vanity Bags, Handkerchiefs, etc., ribbons, waists, etc. They have a very large variety of Xmas toys, gifts, etc. for the festive board are well catered for at low prices, and gifts for men have also special prominence.

#### DeLeon

The Men's Store, is carrying a fine line of gifts for men, everything from a pocket watch to a dress suit, at considerable reductions on previous prices, and all first-class goods.

#### Whyte's Confectionery

are carrying a nice line of Chocolates, etc., for Christmas, also toys for the children.

#### Palace Bakery

are also handling Chocolates, Toys, etc. in addition to the staple lines.

#### Strathmore Trading Co.

Besides their well-assorted stock of Xmas novelties and gifts, are specializing in Gramophones and records for sale.

#### Dixon, Dalmeida

is carrying a fine line of Christmas groceries at very attractive prices, and his prices are putting him ahead on the map.

#### Barber and Craddock

are carrying on the fine tradition of W. E. Brown's store in the expanded line of goods they are displaying for Xmas and New Year. They have a beautiful assortment of Community Bibles, also coffee and tea sets.

### Luxury Tax Removed

#### Announcement was made on Monday

that the luxury tax imposed this year had been removed by order in council, with the exception of a few articles.

This means that a number of articles will be less in price than they have been up till now, especially in cases of Christmas gifts.

### Stabbing Case

#### Is Dismissed

A preliminary case was heard before Justice Lambert and Victory at Strathmore last Wednesday, when Frank Osborne was charged with stabbing P. Brayshaw.

The evidence revealed that Osborne came to Brayshaw's place on 21st October and took away a wooden box. After he had got it on his street, Brayshaw tried to tip it over and tried to turn the box over. He then assaulted Osborne, who stated that he then threw his pocket knife in self-defense. The wound inflicted was not serious. The Justice decided to dismiss the case, as apparently Osborne had had great provocation.

Mr. J. J. Pettie prosecuted and Mr. T. W. Harris defended.

### Nightingale Notes

Mr. and Mrs. Cost and Jubes were visitors to Calgary recently.

The Hockey Club is going ahead; the boys have got a fine rink and the ice is flooded regularly.

A picnic shoot was held at George Thurston's farm on Saturday. About 180 players were released from the traps, also a large number of clays which provided good sport for the guests. At six o'clock about 20 persons sat down to a hot supper which was amply provided for by Mrs. Thurston. After that some and games were played of the evening until 12 o'clock when after everyone expressing themselves as to the good time they had had the party broke up and went home.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton are spending a few days in Calgary.

School breaks up on the 21st. Miss Foster, our teacher, is giving a concert on that date when the children will receive Xmas presents.

### Ardenode Notes

The Ardenode U.F.A. held their annual general meeting at the Schoolhouse on Saturday, December 18, with a good crowd in attendance.

The secretary presented the annual report and balance sheet for the year, which was approved by the members and in making the report remarked that he thought ways and means should be devised in order to get a better attendance of members at the meetings.

He pointed out the fact that the average attendance was only 14 and that, as the U.F.A. was a democratic organization, in which the policy stated in the locals themselves, its success could only be pro rata to the proportion of the work of the organization which each individual carried.

To receive the best results it was necessary for each member to realize his responsibilities had only come up with the payment of his subscription and for each one to put all his enthusiasm and power behind the work his local was carrying on, as after all it is his local conducting his own business in the manner in which he desires.

The election of officers resulted in:

H. W. Gohard being re-elected president, Jas. Horrocks, Vice-President, and S. H. Donkin, Secretary.

The meeting was then addressed by Miss Kidd, provincial secretary of the U.F.A., who outlined herself chiefly in outlining some of the basic principles which the U.F.A. local at this point would start their activities, and at the close of her speech was heartily thanked for her efforts to give the new members of the local a good start off.

The chairman announced that the next meeting would be held on Monday, December 27th at 2 p.m., when the delegates to the East Calgary political convention would be elected, at the close of their meeting.

There are quite a number of resolutions to be discussed, particularly that regarding the wheat pool, which is proposed to handle the 1921 crop.

A social will be held in the school on Wednesday, January 13th for all members of the local and their families, the ladies undertaking to supply the refreshments for the occasion.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all our friends in their kindness and sympathy in our recent bereavement.

Mrs. C. M. GARD and Family.

### Sting and Hockey

After the snowstorm on Sunday, quite a crowd turned out to the ice on the lake to see the practice game between Nightingale and Strathmore, and an hour and half's good practice was put by the legs.

As a result of the canvass of the town, over \$200 has been secured by subscription, and an order has been placed for hockey suits for the team.

The committee of the Hockey Club are trying to arrange games with outside teams for Xmas and New Year's Day.

Following on the snowstorm over the weekend, the sports rink on First Street is getting into shape, and will probably be open for business in a few days.

An electric light installation is being fitted up by Messrs Smith and Harner, and everything should evidence to a good season's sport, both for skating and hockey.

There will be ample sitting and dressing room accommodation in the Mackinac block at the side of the rink, and the sheds in the west side will afford accommodation to a big number of spectators.

### Namaka Notes

The annual meeting of the U.F.A. was held on Saturday at the home of the President, Mr. E. F. Wheeler, and wound up its affairs for the past year.

The officers elected for the ensuing year are:

President, J. R. Sim.

Vice-President, H. E. Thomson.

Secretary, H. Hansen.

A vote to test the feeling of the members on the question of the proposed wheat pool, was almost unanimous in favor.

At the same time and place the U.F.A. also held their annual meeting.

Mr. H. E. Thomson, vice-pres., Mrs. A. H. Thomson, vice-pres., Mrs. Lewington, secretary and Mrs. T. Thoms, treasurer.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. W. E. Brown is sick and has had to be removed to the hospital.

Mr. P. Sullivan is at present confined to the house through illness.

On Friday evening the young people of the district enjoyed themselves at a party given in honor of the birthday of Miss Gladys Lewington. After supper the party adjourned to the I.O.O.F. hall where dancing was changed in to till early morning. Miss Lewington was the recipient of numerous birthday gifts.

Mrs. Currie, mother of Mrs. Charles Thompson, died on Saturday. Her husband had been in Calgary on Saturday.

Mrs. R. J. Hodges left last week on a trip to California.

The Namaka Sunday School and Day School children will hold their Annual Christmas Festival Tuesday evening, 22nd inst.

A good programme of Drills, Songs, Recitations, Dialogues, Solo's, etc. has been prepared and some of the old boys of the district have promised to assist in the programme, a good time for all and everyone welcome. Ladies will please bring cakes and sandwiches, coffee will be provided.

The following is the standing of the Namaka School for November.

Grade VIII

1st, Ethel Lawrie.

2nd, Gladys Lewington.

Grade VII

1st George Peterson.

2nd Edith Murray.

Grade IV

1st Dorothy Murray.

2nd Susan Holmes.

Grade III

1st Andy Nowichko.

Grade II

1st Clifford Hallberg.

2nd Chester Peterson and Leslie Pelham.

Grade I

1st Doris Inkster.

2nd Edgar Lewington.

### School Concert

Successful Performance by the Children of Strathmore School.

The entertainment, under the name of a "Xmas Frolic," given by the Children of Strathmore School on Thursday evening, was a great success in every respect, and in fact, was much better than any one of the audience ever imagined it would have been.

Including the children participating, there was an attendance of almost four hundred persons, and standing room only was the order for the late arrivals.

The comment was made that the school were giving too much for the money, as the concert lasted for three and a half hours, but the attention of the audience was held to the last minute.

It had been stated that the charge for admission was too low, particularly in as a dance was held afterwards continuing till one o'clock, but the object of the school staff was not to make money. However, the net proceeds after paying expenses, was about \$80.00.

The Junior school gave their part of the entertainment first, and the sketches were excellent, the children telling their parts very cleverly. The musical choruses showed evidence of the painstaking work done by Mrs. Bosward and Misses Furlin and Brodie.

The High School, for the conclusion of the programme, gave Dickens "Xmas Carol," in three acts, and it was very well acted throughout.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams and Mr. Craigie are entitled to great praise for their management of the piece, and the girls and boys showed marked histrionic ability. It is impossible with such a large number of performers as appeared on Thursday evening to give details of the work, but we are publishing the names of the girls and boys who took individual parts as far as possible. The programme was as follows:

Xmas Chorus, Primary

Old Grumbler, Primary

The Aspiring Bishop, Primary

The Newberry on Parade, Primary

The Annual Xmas, Primary

Bashful Girls, VII & VIII

Chorus, Santa Claus is coming, Primary

Reading, Miss Dorothy Entertain the Minister, Primary

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One Hundred Pipes, Intermediate

Dance Steps, Intermediate

Uncle Hiram's Cold, Intermediate

Trick Hiram, Marshall's Remembrance

Ami Martha, S. Wright, Intermediate

Trick Sellers, Irma Luck and Peggy Ryan

Visitors, Cecil Frobenberger, Esther Stockton, Hugh Anderson

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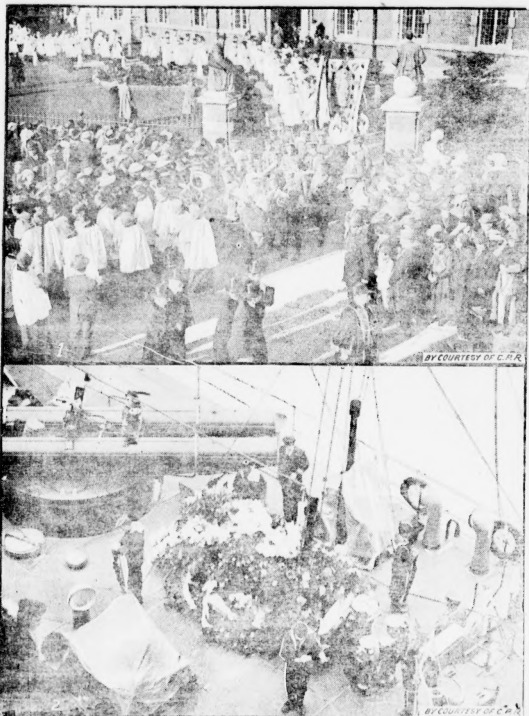
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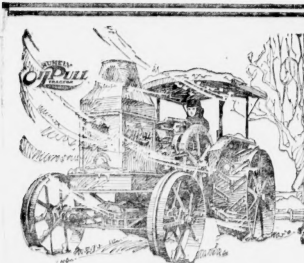




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Don't forget the Big New Years dance in Redlands on New Year's Eve.

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Where are you going New Year's Eve? Redlands' Bachelor's Dance of course.

I'll meet you and greet you at the Bachelor's Dance in Redlands New Year's Eve.

Vancouver B.C.—With the intention of purchasing 3,000 acres of land in the Columbia Valley, a party of American fell here on an inspection trip.

Edmonton, Alta. If the present plans of the Dominion government are carried out, Alberta will have a new seaboard port. It is estimated that there are 175,000 tons of wheat in the Brooks and Lake Ministries, and it is proposed to construct a strong force in which to enclose and protect them.

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## NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

### Wednesday Half-Holiday 1921

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M. B. Garrett.  
Crown Lumber Co. Ltd.  
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W. M. Marshall.  
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FRENCH PRESIDENT AT CANADIAN MEMORIAL.  
St. Albans is seen in the background. The monument erected in the memory of the Canadian Heroes at Vimy Ridge.

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### REISCH—RUDD

A marriage of special interest to this community was that of Miss An. Has Todd to Mr. I. V. Reisch, which was performed at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, December 8th by the Rev. A. McLeod, at the home of the bride's parents in Calgary. The ceremony was attended by the members of the household and about thirty guests.

The bride looked beautiful in a wedding dress of blue with lace. The only bridesmaids being a diamond, the gift of the groom, and a bouquet of sweet violets.

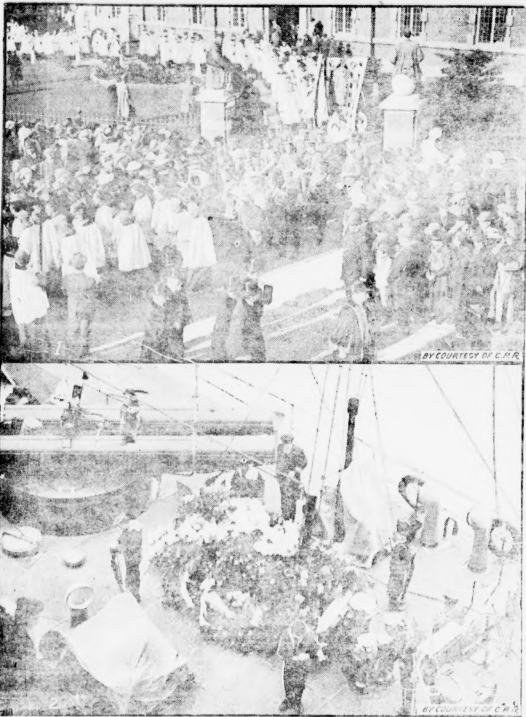
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### REISCH-RUDD

A marriage of special interest to this Community was that of Miss Anita (Rudd) to Mr. I. V. Reisch, which was performed at 12 o'clock noon on Wednesday, December 24th by the Rev. A. McFarlane, at the home of the bride's parents in Calgary. The ceremony was attended by the members of the immediate family and a number of guests.

The bride looked beautiful in a wedding suit of blue with hat. The only ornaments being a diamond necklace, the gift of the groom, and a bouquet of sweet violets.

After the customary wedding dinner was served at the Reischs, after which the bride and groom departed on the Edmonton train for quite an extended wedding trip.

The good wishes of their many friends go with them.

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### LISTEN!!

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M. Millerand is seen reading the inscription on the monument erected to the memory of the Canadian Heroes at Vimy Ridge.







# A Merry Xmas To All

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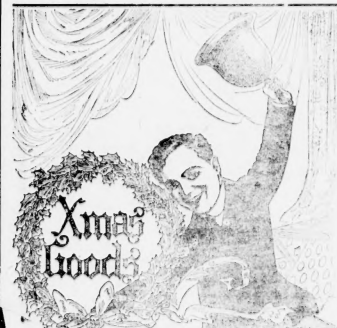
We wish to extend to everyone "The Compliments of the Season."

This being our first Xmas in Strathmore, we hope that it will be our pleasure for many years to come to offer that sincere greeting "A Very Merry Xmas and a Happy and Successful New Year to All."

We wish to thank all for the patronage favored us, and hoping for a continuance of same, when we shall endeavor at all times to give you Quality and Service.

Yours truly,

Beach & Fox



Lo Dong! Ding Dong!  
We bring you Christmas shoppers!  
We have an EXTRA HELP so as not  
to miss you when you are buying.  
We have the very things you want for  
Christmas, for yourself and for your family  
and friends.  
Kindly come EARLY in the morning.  
Our Christmas GOODS are GOOD: Our  
PRICES LOW.  
BEACH AND FOX

The Xmas Spirit abounds in our Store, and  
Gifts to suit everyone are displayed at very mod-  
erate prices.

This week we have Extra Special prices on Lad-  
ies Waists, Gloves, Slippers, etc.

This store does not intend causing any inconvenience to our many  
customers by closing on Wednesday afternoons during the winter months, so  
we are giving our employees a Half-Holiday every week, but the store will be  
open all day on Wednesday as other days.

**STRATHMORE'S DEPARTMENTAL STORE**

A full Supply of Christmas Candles  
in box or bulk, also Crystallized fruits,  
Dates, Raisins, and Christmas Crack-  
ers, etc. have just been received by  
the Strathmore Bakery.

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The fine fall and winter has enabled  
the C.P.R. Irrigation Department to  
put in a lot of construction and repair  
work on the system, and it is only  
since the snowfall of this weekend  
that some of the camps are pulling  
in. In the first part of the fall the  
Company had difficulty in securing  
men owing to the high wages being  
paid for harvest help, but since then  
the labor supply has been abundant.

Don't forget to hang up your Christ-  
mas stocking, but see that you darn  
all the holes first.

Johnny Schultz left on Monday on  
a visit to his old home at Lake Loon.  
He expects to be back with Mrs.  
Schultz and family in February.

Now that the Government has taken  
off the Luxury Tax, they will be look-  
ing around for other sources of rev-  
enue. Possibly our sapient legislators  
will stick on a heavy tax on whiskers,  
as an antidote to the Bohemianism  
they are so scared of at present.

Oddfellows take notice that unless  
business demands, no meeting  
will be held until Thursday, January  
6th, when District Deputy Bro. Ross,  
of Calgary, will install the officers for  
the coming term and degrees will be  
conferred.

### SURPLUS OF WHEAT

SAYS NATIONAL CITY BANK

National City Bank says: "Pre-  
war operations wheat and rye by west-  
ern Europe about 42,000,000 bushels,  
but consumption since then materially  
reduced and Droumhall estimates  
needs for all importing countries for  
the crop year ending next June 30,  
10,000,000 bushels. Australia will have  
an exportable surplus of 11,000,000  
bushels, and Argentina from 100 to 150  
million bushels. Taking these coun-  
tries in the lowest estimate would give  
the same amount of exportable sur-  
plus available for Europe as was im-  
ported last year without taking ac-  
count of India where the surplus is  
estimated at 75 million bushels. These  
figures do not indicate a shortage of  
wheat but rather a substantial sur-  
plus."

## Local Bittings

### OF LOCAL INTEREST

Readers are requested to send  
in items for this column not later  
than 12 o'clock Monday noon  
preceding day of publication. All  
local news items are welcomed  
by the Standard. Phone 17 or 28.

Partners east of Strathmore have  
been recently asked to sign applica-  
tions for a phone line connected with  
Gleichen exchange. Naturally they  
have considerable objection to this, as  
Gleichen is almost twice the distance  
from the majority that Strathmore is.  
We understand that formal objection  
is being raised with the Telephone De-  
partment. A meeting was to have been  
held Friday evening but owing to some  
misunderstanding did not come off.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Watson are re-  
joicing in the birth of a son on Sat-  
urday.

A daughter was born to Mr. and  
Mrs. W. T. Calne on Thursday evening  
at Strathmore Hospital.

A fine well has been brought in at  
the C.P.R. Demonstration Farm at a  
depth of 229 feet.

Mr. Jack Crawford, son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Tom Crawford, arrived here last  
week, accompanied by his mother and  
baby. Mr. Crawford's wife died several  
weeks ago at their Washington home,  
and the baby is going to be taken  
charge of by his grandparents. Mr.  
Crawford has been away in Washing-  
ton for a number of years, but is well  
known locally, and much sympathy  
is felt with him in his bereavement.

Election of officers of Strathmore  
Masonic Lodge took place on Monday  
evening. Installation will take place  
next Monday.

A furnace is being installed in St.  
Michael's Church, which will add  
much to the comfort of the worship-  
ers.

The first cold snap of the season  
occurred on Sunday, with several in-  
ches of snow, and the temperature  
went down to 16 below zero on Mon-  
day morning. Up to this time we  
have had a remarkably open winter.

Xmas Day services will be held at  
St. Michael's and All Angels Church  
on Xmas Day as follows: Holy Com-  
munion 8:30 a.m.; Morning Prayer and  
Holy Communion 11 a.m. Special Xmas  
Music will be rendered.

Strathmore G.W.A. will hold their  
regular meeting on the fourth Tues-  
day of this month, December 28th, in  
the Oddfellows Hall. Neither of the  
delegates appointed by the Local to  
attend the Provincial Convention in  
Medicine Hat last week having been  
able to attend, one of the Calgary de-  
legates has been requested to attend  
the meeting of Strathmore Association  
on the 28th and give a report of the  
Convention.

Dr. J. W. Griffin is spending a few  
days in town, but is going back to  
Edmonton this week to spend Christ-  
mas with his family.

Strathmore Baseball Club gave a  
very successful production of the drama  
"Safety First" on Tuesday even-  
ing, but being so close to press time  
we have not been able to publish a  
report in this issue. Details will be  
given in our next.

Owing to the departure of Mr. Port  
T. Rhodes and his family the post  
master of Blind Creek is now  
vacant, and so far endeavors to se-  
cure a successor have been fruitless.  
The Blind Creek mail is now being  
sorted at Carleton Place, and friends  
in the Blind Creek district  
at a social meeting, gave Mr. and Mrs.  
Rhodes and their family a hearty send-  
off, and he was presented with a purse  
of money in appreciation of his ser-  
vices to the district.

As will be seen from adv. in another  
column of this issue, the C.P.R.  
Demonstration Farm are offering 20c  
per dozen for fresh eggs. It is the best  
now, and not the goose that is laying  
the golden egg.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Bell, Goodlands,  
Man., arrived in Strathmore Thursday  
on a three months visit to their son  
Mr. J. G. Bell.

Two years' imprisonment was the  
penalty handed down to the former  
secretary and treasurer of the town  
of Bassano, Charles Gunning, who  
pleaded guilty to three charges of  
theft before Judge J. D. B. Stewart  
of the Criminal Court Friday after-  
noon.

We understand that Strathmore G.  
W.A. are holding a New Year's Eve  
dance in the Opera House.

# ECONOMY HOLIDAY GIFTS

Buy your friends gifts that leave  
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A runaway took place on Sunday  
evening. Miss Pfeiffer being thrown  
out of a rig or Alex Gray's black  
smith shop. Fortunately she was  
not injured.

There is no doubt that the drop  
in the price of grain has affected the  
pockets of the Xmas buyers, but at the  
same time we have a lot to be thank-  
ful for living in this part of Alberta.



Howard Kelley, President of the Grand Trunk Railway and Edward Beatty, President of the C.P.R. at Conference at Union Station and Viaduct in Toronto, Canada.

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## Dalemead Notes

### Dalemead Hall

### A DANCE

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**DECEMBER 31st**  
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The directors of the Dalemead Hall in conjunction with the local guarantors of the Dominion Lyceum, provided the people of the district with a free entertainment and supper which was enjoyed by about 200 persons. Dr. Parker Miles, the speaker of the evening and the sumptuous repast put on by the ladies of the district made the evening one of the best ever held in Dalemead.

You've simply got to hand it to Dalemead for putting up real enjoyable times.

The dance on December 31st as advertised in our columns this week is bound to be a stunner, anything put on in Dalemead always is.

We are sorry to learn that Mr. McGregor of the Pioneer elevator is leaving. Mr. McGregor hasn't been with us long but we have found him to be a good scout and he will leave a good name behind him.

You are invited to our Xmas entertainment on December 24th at the Hall, and come early if you want a seat. This is the kiddies' night, so bring all you've got.

Last Friday a number of young people gathered at the home of T. Stewart and a very pleasant time was spent.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Dixon gave a little party on Saturday night to Roy Thomas, who is going east for a few months. The evening was thoroughly enjoyed by all present.

Some three or four months have been brought back to the district by local sports, so don't be surprised to hear of a more supper in the Hall shortly.

Look out for the Xmas Tree, Xmas Eve and a 1-act program from the children.

### OBITUARY

George L. Edwards was born in Leamington, Ontario, August 11, 1882. In 1894, he with his parents moved to Bates Co. Mo. and in 1896 to Washington Co. Kansas, where he grew to manhood.

About four years ago, on account of failing health, he left for the West, finally going to Daerwood, Alberta, Canada. George was feeling fairly well until November 17th, when he had a slight headache and was taken to the Mount View Hospital, Calgary, where he died the evening of November 20th, at the age of 38 years, 2 months and 9 days.

He leaves to mourn his death, his mother, Mrs. Hanna Edwards, of Washington, Kansas, five sisters and two brothers.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jones, of Wrenham, N. Wales, Mrs. Phoebe Barnes, Mooreville, Kans., a Margaret Jones, Selkirk, Colo.; Mrs. Alice Foster, Gering, Neb.; Miss Jeannette Edwards, Washington, Kansas; John B. Edwards and Joseph Edwards, both of Selkirk, Colo.

Besides his relatives, George leaves many friends in this community and also in the states, where, by his kindness and helpfulness to others, his cheerful disposition, he had won many friends who showed love and respect to him, by doing all that human hands could do for him.

The funeral services were held at the Free Methodist Church of Washington, Kansas, by Rev. C. B. Archer, of Franklin, Kansas, assisted by Rev. Edward Scarle, the pastor at Washington, Kansas, and the remains were laid to rest in the Washington City Cemetery.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to the many friends of our dear son and brother, for your kind and thoughtful letters, for your sympathy and help in his brief sickness and for the beautiful floral offerings which were sent.

Mrs. HANNA EDWARDS  
and Family

Mr. Chas. Conroy gave a pleasant entertainment to a number of friends on Wednesday the 14th, previous to Mr. Conroy and family leaving for California to spend the winter.

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Here  
our Christ-  
mas tree, one  
of the best  
type, tall, and  
while, dear air, 'tis  
not a fir, yet it was  
made "fir" you. 'Tis  
true you see upon this  
tree no presents rich and  
rare; yet please be kind and  
bear in mind, in wish the gifts  
are there. We wish you all, the  
short and tall, young, middle-aged  
and gray, the poor, the  
rich,  
white,  
black  
as pitch,  
you see  
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**King Edward Grill**  
Besides their up-to-date restaurant service, which is on the job 365 days in the year, are stocking some of the finest in fruits and candies for Xmas gifts.

**Lambert's Drug Store**  
are carrying a nice line of Chocolates, boxed for gifts, and a full line of novelties and children's gift books.

**Strathmore Jewelry Store**  
have a fine selection of Jewelry, Watches, Silverware, etc., attractively displayed in their showcases at moderate prices.

**Bow Valley Supply Co.,**  
Grocery Specialists, have very attractive lines for the Xmas table, and their goods are of a very choice nature, at right prices.

**W. M. Marshall**  
of the Rexall Drug Store, is carrying a large stock of articles suitable for everyone, including, Razors, Straps, Fountain Pens, Perfumes, Thermos Bottles, Chocolates, White Ivory and Ebony Toilet Articles, and a large line of new toys, games, etc., for the children at a twenty per cent discount.

**Strathmore Bakery**  
The home merchant sells the goods that you need, and he is the man who has often carried a nice selection of every sort and kind of home goods, when Xmas would not have made a good showing otherwise. The more of your business for gifts the better he can meet your wants.

are carrying a nice line of Chocolates, etc., in addition to their ordinary stock.

**The Meat Markets**  
Those who have not a turkey, goose or chicken of their own raising, to kill for the festive season can get the right kind of a bird from either of the two best outlets, Strathmore Meat Market or Pioneer Meat Market, also any other kinds of meat for the table at this time.

**Buy at Home**  
The above is only a very sketchy outline of what can be got without ending to mail order or city houses. Make the ad. columns of "The Standard" your catalogue. You miss the zest of Christmas buying when you order by letter, and you do not have anything.

**Mr. Win. MacKinnon**, station agent at Nanaimo induced his wrist several Sunday afternoon, while cranking his car. Dr. Givins came out on the afternoon, and with his usual skill attended to the injury.

**GERMANY'S DEFEAT DEPICTED BY STATUE**  
Elkan, the famous German sculptor, depicted so well in bronze the downfall of Germany through the world war that the German Government bought the remarkable statue and set it up in the Gahr Park at Frankfurt-on-Main, Germany. It was unveiled as a memorial to the great war. The statue is that of a woman kneeling on one knee, with her head on her hand in an attitude of despair over a great sorrow. Save for the flowing garment draped across her arm, she is almost naked. The base of the statue is of plain white marble.

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**Town of Strathmore**  
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Notice is hereby given that positively disbursements will be given on taxes after December 31st, 1920. Taxes in arrears after that date will be collected by distraint or other legal means.

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**NOTICE**  
Will parties owing me for coal please come and arrange payment before December 31st.  
J. G. BELL.

**FRATERNAL**

**Strathmore Lodge**  
No. 53  
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Next meeting—December 20th 1920 and on 27th December.  
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**NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS**  
IN THE ESTATE OF Philip Andrew Morten, late of Nanaimo, in the Province of Alberta, formerly deceased.  
NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims or the estate of the above named Philip Andrew Morten, are required to file with this 1921 a full statement of the nature of their claims and securities held by them, and to certify that the Executors or Administrators of the estate of the above named Philip Andrew Morten have been so notified or brought to her knowledge.  
DATED this 1st day of December, 1920.  
JOHN J. PETRIE,  
of 3224 5th Avenue West,  
Calgary, Alberta  
Solicitor for the Executors

**Miscellaneous Advs.**

**FOR SALE.** Honey Oak Heater, excellent condition, new last winter. Apply Standard Office. 1229-g

**FOR SALE.** Kitchener Seed Wheat, \$2.50 per bushel, Stronger Wheeler Stock. Apply Leslie West, Strathmore. 61-u

**LOST.** Monday night, 12th inst. Acetylene Gas Tank for Ford car, between Strathmore and Strathmore, by way of Home's Pasture. Reward offered J. W. Reilly, Ardenode. 12-u

**LOST.** Between Strathmore Motors and Pool Room #46, 3 1/2 Hrs and 2 Hrs. Finder please return to Ed. Werling, Strathmore. Reward. 12-u

**MILK COWS** for Sale. Apply Henry Van der Loop, 4 miles East Strathmore. 29-12-g

**FOR SALE.** Ford Car, good as new, completely rebuilt. A snap if you quickly. Apply Douglas French, Strathmore. 29-12-g

**BREEDING HOGS.** Berkshire, also Boars. Apply Keer or Suggen, Rural 10, Cheadle. 24-12-g

**FOR SALE**  
One of the best half-sections in District. 26 miles East of Calgary, within 5 miles of 3 stations, phone, school 300 acres tillable, 275 irrigable, 225 acres will sow to crop, 75 acres will summerfallow. House 24 x 14-2 storied, barn 14 x 48, well. Price including crop \$80.00 per acre, \$60.00 cash, balance 1/3 crop, interest 6 per cent. Apply Standard Office.  
Municipal District of Bow Valley No. 219

**NOTICE OF IMPOUNDMENT**  
NOTICE is hereby given under section 216 of the Rural Municipality Act that the following horses will be sold at the King Edward Livery Stable Friday, December 24, if not redeemed.  
One smart Mare, aged, branded left shoulder, colt at side.  
One Bay Pony Mare, aged, heart brand right shoulder, colt at side.  
One Saddle Filly, two years old, heart brand right shoulder.  
One Bay Filly, two years old, branded CX right shoulder.  
One Bay Filly, no visible brand.  
One Grey Gelding, 12 years old, branded left thigh.  
One Grey Gelding, 7 years old, branded right thigh.

DATED at Strathmore this 11th day of December, 1920.  
HARRY AKKECIAN,  
Foundskeeper.  
22-12-g

**Municipal District of Bow Valley No. 219**  
**NOTICE OF IMPOUNDMENT**  
NOTICE is hereby given under Section 216 of the Rural Municipality Act that  
One Horse Gelding, black, small white stripe in face, branded left hip.  
was impounded in the pound kept by the undersigned on the N.W. 14 sec. 31, T. 21, R. 25 Wm. 4 on 5th day of August 1920.  
DATED at Carlsland this 7th day of December 1920.  
ALFRED ANDERSON,  
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